

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

331

OF THE

FIFTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1873.

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increase the same to not exceeding twenty thousand dollars. The business of the corporation shall be managed by such officers as the said corporation, in their by-laws, may direct.

CHAP. 260.

Business, how managed.

SECT. 5. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by William Toothaker, or either of the other persons named in the first section of this act, by giving to each of the other corporators written notice of said meeting, stating the time when and the place where such meeting is to be held, seven days previous to said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1873.

Chapter 260.

An act to authorize William A. Wells and others to erect a wharf in tide waters in Bristol.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. William A. Wells, Albert Brown and Edward T. DeBlois, are hereby authorized to build, erect and maintain a wharf in the tide waters of the town of Bristol, at or near the present site of Wells and company's oil works.

Authorized to build a wharf.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1873.

Chapter 261.

An act to incorporate the Weld Corner Cheese Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. M. A. Phillips, William S. Robertson, Paul Sanborn, A. G. Taft, Lorenzo Robertson, James E. York, Benjamin Rand, Major Phillips, and J. E. Holman, and their associates, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Weld Corner Cheese Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities provided by the laws of this state, concerning manufacturing corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name. Powers, privileges, duties and liabilities.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture cheese, and to transact any other business usually carried on by cheese factories or corporations for the purposes of associated dairying. The capital stock of said company shall not exceed the sum of

Purpose of.

CHAP. 262.

Capital stock
and shares.
May hold real
and personal
estate.

First meeting,
where held and
how called.

three thousand dollars, to be divided into such number of shares as the company may determine; and said corporation may hold real and personal estate to the amount of said capital stock, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said corporation shall be held in the town of Weld, and shall be called by a notice thereof, seven days prior to said meeting, signed by one of the persons named in the first section of this act, a copy of which shall be given to each of the other corporators.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1873.

Chapter 262.

An act relating to the will of Nancy Hanson.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Parties interested
authorized to
petition.

SECT. 1. That any person, parish or other party interested under the will of Nancy Hanson, late of Portland, in the county of Cumberland, deceased, is hereby authorized to present to the judge of probate for said county, a written petition in person or by attorney, setting forth therein in substance the contents of said will, upon notice thereon, as in case of an original will presented for probate; said judge is authorized to hear the same, and if the evidence produced before him, the best the nature of the case admits of, shall satisfy him that the provisions of said will were in substance as alleged in said petition, he may pass a decree accordingly, and said petition and decree thereon shall have like force and effect to all intents and purposes as said original will and the probate thereof; *provided* that the right of appeal from said decree is hereby reserved as in the case of ordinary decrees of said judge of probate.

Judge authorized
to hear petition.

Decree.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1873.

Chapter 263.

An act to incorporate the Saco Steamboat Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Corporators.

SECT. 1. That Francis Milliken, John A. Berry, Horace Woodward, Obadiah Durgin, James H. McMullan, and Paul Chadbourne,